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☒ In re application of: Francis J. Maguire, Jr.
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I. REFUND REQUEST

This is a request for a refund, with respect to the charge to Deposit Account
23-0442, shown on the statement dated 04/26/07, for the
above-identified

- ☒ application.
- ☐ patent.

(check the following, if desired, and supply copy of statement)

- ☒ A copy of the monthly statement, in which the error referred to occurs, accompanies this request.

II. FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED

AMOUNT OF REFUND REQUESTED

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Examination fee | \$ _____ |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> first month | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> second month | _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> third month | \$510.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> fourth month | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> fifth month | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Excess claims | _____ |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Petition fee | _____ |
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TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED

\$510.00

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III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

The only extension of time fee that was ever due in this case was for a two-month extension due upon filing an RCE mailed under Rule 8 on May 22, 2006 with our check for \$720.00 including the \$225.00 extension fee.

IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make the refund by

- ☒ Crediting Deposit Account No. 23-0442
- ☐ Crediting applicant's credit card as shown on the attached credit card authorization form PTO-2038.

WARNING: Credit card information should not be included on this form as it may become public.

- ☐ Sending refund check to applicant
- ☐ By electronic funds transfer using the banking information on the payment instrument.

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 City: MONROE
 State: CT
 Zip: 06468
 Country: UNITED STATES

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